

## 2012 Current Fiscal Year Report: Advisory Committee on Violence Against Women

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### 1. Department or Agency

Department of Justice

### 2. Fiscal Year

2012

### 3. Committee or Subcommittee

Advisory Committee on Violence Against Women

### 3b. GSA Committee No.

1980

### 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

### 5. Current Charter

06/03/2010

### 6. Expected Renewal Date

### 7. Expected Term Date

### 8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

Yes

### 8b. Specific Termination Authority

Agency

### 8c. Actual Term Date

06/03/2012

### 9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Terminate

### 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

### 10b. Legislation Pending?

### 11. Establishment Authority

Agency Authority

### 12. Specific Establishment Authority

AGENCY

### 13. Effective Date

02/03/1995

### 14. Committee Type

Continuing

### 14c. Presidential?

No

### 15. Description of Committee

### 16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

### 17a. Open 1 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 1 Meetings and Dates

Purpose	Start	End
This is the fourth meeting of the NAC and will include facilitated discussions on the development of the members' recommendations for successful interventions with children and teens who witness and/or are victimized by domestic violence, dating violence, and sexual assault.	02/27/2012	02/28/2012

### Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 1

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$27,729.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$8,981.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$13,319.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$3,773.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$5,548.00	\$0.00

<b>18d. Total</b>	<b>\$59,350.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)</b>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>

**20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?**

Since 1995, the Committee has met biannually as a whole, and as subcommittees, to provide general policy advice to the Attorney General and Secretary of Health and Human Services on implementation of the Violence Against Women Act, the Violence Against Women Act of 2000, and related legislation. In FY2010, in the Department of Justice will re-establish the Committee with a specific focus on successful interventions with children and teens who witness and/or are victimized by intimate partner violence and sexual violence.

**20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?**

The membership of the re-established Committee will reflect a balanced representation of perspectives and interests, consisting of approximately 15 members representing victim services, the health professions, law enforcement, prosecution, and other professions addressing the crimes of violence against women, with a specific focus on successful interventions with children and teens who witness and/or are victimized by intimate partner violence and sexual violence.

**20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?**

The re-established Committee holds meetings only as necessary to finalize the advice and recommendations that the members have been developing.

**20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?**

Committee members represent a broad spectrum of non-federal actors addressing the issue of crimes of violence against women in local communities. The purpose of this committee is to seek the views, advice, and ideas of non-federal actors in the prevention of violence against women, initiatives to improve community responses, and the prosecution of violent crimes against women, a specific focus on successful interventions with children and teens who witness and/or are victimized by intimate partner violence and sexual violence.

**20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?**

N/A

**21. Remarks**

There was one meeting in FY2012.

## Designated Federal Officer

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Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Edleson, Jeffrey	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Professor and Director of Research	Representative Member
Fletcher, Maria	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Attorney/Advocate	Representative Member
Groves, Betsy	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Director/Researcher	Representative Member
Hostler, Monika	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Executive Director/ Advocate	Representative Member
Irvin, Neil	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Advocate/ Executive Director	Representative Member
Johnson, Amber	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Peer Educator/ Youth Advocate	Representative Member
Lee, Debbie	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Senior Vice President/ Advocate	Representative Member
Manheimer, Susan	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Chief of Police	Representative Member
Poston, Carol	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Executive Director/Advocate	Representative Member
Sherman, Francine	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Professor/Researcher	Representative Member
Stoof, Melvin	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Tribal Court Judge	Representative Member
Torre, Joe	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Advocate	Representative Member
Union, Gabrielle	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Advocate	Representative Member
Warrier, Sujata	10/29/2010	10/29/2012	Director	Representative Member

**Number of Committee Members Listed: 14**

## Narrative Description

The National Advisory Committee on Violence Against Women, through a new Charter signed by Attorney General Eric Holder, is required to provide the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Services with practical policy advice on issues of violence against women with a specific focus on successful interventions with children and teens who witness and/or are victimized by intimate partner violence and sexual violence.

## What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Outcome Comments

NA

## What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Cost Savings Comments**

NA

**What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?**

22

**Number of Recommendations Comments**

In FY2012, there was one meeting. The NAC completed their 22 recommendations in June 2012. The recommendations will be included as one chapter in an overall Agency-sponsored document.

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?**

0%

**% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?**

0%

**% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

**Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?**

Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable ☒

### Agency Feedback Comments

NA

**What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?**

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Action Comments

**Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?**

No

### Grant Review Comments

**How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?**

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Access Comments

N/A